

Anti-Poverty and Inequality Committee

ABERDEEN, 31 January 2024. Minute of Meeting of the ANTI-POVERTY AND INEQUALITY COMMITTEE. Present:- Councillor Allard, Convener; Councillor Bouse, Vice-Convener; and Councillors Bonsell (as substitute for Councillor Graham), Brooks, Clark, Davidson, Greig, Hutchison, Kuszniir, Mennie, Thomson (as substitute for Councillor Tissera) and Watson.

External Advisers:- Maggie Hepburn (Chief Executive of Aberdeen Council of Voluntary Organisations) and Phil Mackie (NHS Grampian).

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URGENT BUSINESS

1. There was no Urgent Business.

EXEMPT BUSINESS

2. There was no Exempt Business.

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND TRANSPARENCY STATEMENTS

3. Members were requested to intimate any Declarations of Interest or Transparency Statements in respect of the items on the agenda.

The Committee resolved:-

to note that there were no Declarations of Interest or Transparency Statements.

MINUTE OF PREVIOUS MEETING OF 1 NOVEMBER 2023

4. The Committee had before it the minute of the previous meeting of 1 November 2023.

The Committee resolved:-

to approve the minute as an accurate record.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS PLANNER

5. The Committee had before it the planner of committee business, as prepared by the Interim Chief Officer – Governance (Assurance).

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The Committee resolved:-

to note the Planner.

COMMITTEE VISIT TO ABERDEEN CYRENIANS

6. Members discussed the value of visits to partner organisations. The Convener thanked Councillor Bonsell for her suggestion to visit Aberdeen Cyrenians and Members were encouraged to suggest future committee visits.

The Committee resolved:-

to note that Members would proceed to the visit to Aberdeen Cyrenians - 62 Summer Street, Aberdeen.

- **COUNCILLOR CHRISTIAN ALLARD, Convener.**